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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Marco NAHMIAS NANNI et al.)
Application No.: Not yet assigned) Group Art Unit: Not yet assigned
Filed: January 26, 2005) Examiner: Not yet assigned
For: TYRE FOR VEHICLE WHEELS AND ELASTOMERIC COMPOSITION USED THEREIN)))
Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	
Sir:	

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to the examination of the above-captioned application, please amend this application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

<u>Amendments to the Claims</u> are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 5 of this paper.

REMARKS begin on page 15 of this paper.

An Attachment follows page 15 of this paper. The Attachment includes an Abstract of the Disclosure labeled as page 26.